

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: YAMAMOTO, Akito; HAGIWARA, Hiroyuki

SERIAL NO.:

FILED: Herewith

TITLE: MEANS FOR PROTECTING AN AUTOMATIC MONEY HANDLING MACHINE OR  
A COMPUTER

REMARKS ON PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In this preliminary amendment, please consider the following remarks in conjunction with the amendments to the above-identified application as follows:

REMARKS

The present Preliminary Amendment has been entered for the purpose of placing the application into a more proper U.S. format. The application is corrected for certain typographical errors found in the originally submitted application. No new matter has been added by these amendments. The present application is an English translation of originally Japanese priority documents.

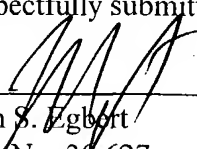
The Claims have been amended so as to conform with U.S. requirements. The claims were amended to incorporate the proper format for independent and dependent claims under U.S. practice from the Japanese format. No new matter has been amended by these amendments.

Applicant respectfully requests that the present Amendment be entered prior to an initial Official Action on the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

7-23-03

  
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